

Detailed saleyard report - cattle

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Great Southern Saleyard

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Yarding Change ¹⁰³⁸
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The marginally smaller yarding remained of a similar make-up with reasonable supplies of prime trade and heavy weight steers and heifers available. Yearling store supplies were fair, with similar volumes of vealers and cows available.

There continued to be solid quality in trade weight yearling steers and heifers and both benefited from added live export demand that created higher price levels, with a solid feeder and processor demand again recorded. Vealer quality and weight remained solid. Once again there was an increase in both feeder and restocker demand throughout the classes that lifted prices throughout the classes.

Cow quality and weight were more mixed. Trade demand was firm, but selective, while heavy weight bulls continued to record limited processor demand and competition.

Category Weight	Sale Prefix	Muscle Score	Fat Score	Head	Live Weight c/kg				Estimated Carcase Weight c/kg			Estimated \$/Head			
					Low	High	Avg	Change	Low	High	Avg	Low	High	Avg	
Vealer Steer															
200-280	RS	C	1	5	216.0	- 216.0	216.0	-8	-	-	-	579	- 579	579	
	RS	C	2	33	199.0	- 232.0	221.8	20	-	-	-	477	- 631	604	
280-330	RS	C	2	39	189.0	- 210.0	201.7	N/Q	-	-	-	563	- 665	636	
	FD	C	2	24	189.0	- 206.0	202.3	-1	-	-	-	586	- 657	646	
	RS	C	3	7	214.0	- 214.0	214.0	N/Q	-	-	-	640	- 640	640	
330+	FD	C	3	7	197.0	- 197.0	197.0	-2	-	-	-	642	- 642	642	
	FD	C	2	35	193.0	- 198.0	194.8	N/C	-	-	-	658	- 717	695	
		C	3	4	165.0	- 172.0	170.3	11	300	- 313	310	705	- 784	725	
	FD	C	3	103	180.0	- 199.0	193.8	5	-	-	-	648	- 768	710	
					257	165.0	232.0	200.2		300	313	310	477	784	671
Vealer Heifer															
200-280	RS	C	2	10	175.0	- 191.0	189.4	20	-	-	-	462	- 481	464	
	RS	D	1	1	165.0	- 165.0	165.0	N/Q	-	-	-	446	- 446	446	
	RS	D	2	9	150.0	- 150.0	150.0	N/Q	-	-	-	398	- 398	398	
280-330	FD	C	2	4	173.0	- 174.0	173.3	7	-	-	-	510	- 540	532	
	RS	C	2	38	179.0	- 184.0	180.9	N/Q	-	-	-	526	- 578	540	
		C	3	14	175.0	- 177.0	176.1	N/Q	324	- 328	326	520	- 558	541	
	FD	C	3	21	171.0	- 171.0	171.0	N/Q	-	-	-	547	- 557	551	
330+	RS	D	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	-	-	-	410	- 410	410	
	FD	C	2	8	184.0	- 184.0	184.0	4	-	-	-	626	- 626	626	
		FD	C	3	40	161.0	- 181.0	175.6	7	-	-	-	555	- 675	615
					146	140.0	191.0	175.8		324	328	326	398	675	551
Yearling Steer															
0-330	FD	C	1	7	188.0	- 197.0	193.1	N/Q	-	-	-	551	- 648	606	
330-400	FD	C	1	6	185.0	- 190.0	188.3	-1	-	-	-	635	- 638	636	
	FD	C	2	15	188.0	- 195.0	193.4	9	-	-	-	679	- 737	691	
400+	FD	C	1	4	179.0	- 179.0	179.0	27	-	-	-	752	- 752	752	
	LE	C	2	12	159.0	- 162.0	160.3	N/Q	295	- 302	300	736	- 810	777	

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	FD	C	2	8	182.0	- 182.0	182.0	17	-				757	- 757	757
		C	3	7	168.0	- 168.0	168.0	6	306	- 306	306		815	- 815	815
	FD	C	3	6	176.0	- 176.0	176.0	10	-				748	- 753	751
	LE	C	3	34	145.0	- 175.0	165.3	N/Q	269	- 318	301		693	- 835	795
				99	145.0	197.0	175.1		269	318	301		551	835	748
Yearling Heifer															
330-400	FD	C	2	23	170.0	- 176.0	173.5	5	-				593	- 651	626
	FD	C	3	21	163.0	- 169.0	166.1	1	-				641	- 671	656
	FD	D	3	2	143.0	- 143.0	143.0	N/Q	-				512	- 512	512
400+	FD	C	2	8	163.0	- 167.0	165.5	25	-				695	- 696	695
	FD	C	3	7	159.0	- 159.0	159.0	N/Q	-				668	- 668	668
	LE	C	3	8	137.0	- 144.0	142.1	N/Q	259	- 267	264		580	- 641	597
		C	3	36	145.0	- 155.0	151.8	4	269	- 287	281		645	- 747	684
	RS	D	2	3	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-				587	- 587	587
	LE	D	3	17	139.0	- 148.0	145.2	N/Q	262	- 274	271		607	- 716	669
	FD	D	3	2	145.0	- 145.0	145.0	N/Q	-				613	- 613	613
				127	137.0	176.0	157.4		259	287	276		512	747	655
Grown Steer															
400-500	RS	C	1	4	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	N/Q	-				655	- 655	655
	DA	E	2	11	111.0	- 120.0	114.1	N/Q	224	- 255	233		472	- 594	534
500-600	RS	C	2	1	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	-				694	- 694	694
		C	2	3	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	3	262	- 262	262		821	- 821	821
	LE	C	3	1	144.0	- 144.0	144.0	N/Q	262	- 262	262		806	- 806	806
		C	3	6	141.0	- 164.0	149.3	-7	256	- 298	272		766	- 915	823
	DA	D	2	5	122.0	- 122.0	122.0	-12	235	- 235	235		676	- 676	676
	DA	D	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	264	- 264	264		826	- 826	826
600-750		C	2	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259		896	- 896	896
		C	3	24	149.0	- 155.0	152.4	3	268	- 280	274		901	- 1043	982
	DA	D	3	13	141.0	- 145.0	143.2	N/Q	271	- 274	273		867	- 886	877
				70	111.0	164.0	140.7		224	298	262		472	1043	821
Grown Heifer															
0-540	LE	D	3	3	136.0	- 136.0	136.0	N/Q	252	- 252	252		683	- 683	683
		D	3	6	130.0	- 138.0	136.7	N/C	241	- 256	253		598	- 727	706
		D	4	3	130.0	- 138.0	135.3	-3	241	- 256	251		683	- 718	706
		D	5	1	119.0	- 119.0	119.0	N/Q	220	- 220	220		583	- 583	583
540+		C	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	226	- 226	226		666	- 666	666
		C	3	1	140.0	- 140.0	140.0	N/Q	259	- 259	259		798	- 798	798
		D	4	5	133.0	- 138.0	137.0	N/C	251	- 265	263		758	- 857	837
				20	119.0	140.0	134.9		220	265	252		583	857	732
Manufacturing Steer															
540+		C	3	2	135.0	- 138.0	136.5	N/Q	246	- 251	248		952	- 1028	990
		C	4	1	137.0	- 137.0	137.0	N/Q	245	- 245	245		986	- 986	986
				3	135.0	138.0	136.7		245	251	247		952	1028	989
Cows															
0-400		D	2	29	85.0	- 103.0	90.6	16	185	- 219	195		279	- 411	320

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400-520		D	1	6	97.0	- 100.0	98.0	N/Q	216	- 222	218	423	- 470	439
		D	2	14	113.0	- 117.0	114.7	N/Q	235	- 249	241	564	- 593	576
		D	3	19	113.0	- 115.0	113.1	-2	230	- 235	235	483	- 552	486
520+	DA	D	2	5	110.0	- 110.0	110.0	N/Q	234	- 234	234	746	- 746	746
		D	3	43	115.0	- 128.0	124.6	1	230	- 256	247	630	- 831	732
	DA	D	3	1	115.0	- 115.0	115.0	N/Q	240	- 240	240	914	- 914	914
		D	4	78	113.0	- 127.0	122.9	-1	217	- 250	244	701	- 919	831
		D	5	13	107.0	- 117.0	108.5	-3	214	- 234	217	764	- 895	839
				208	85.0	128.0	115.3		185	256	234	279	919	678
Bulls														
0-450	RS	C	2	3	135.0	- 163.0	153.7	-9	-	-	-	473	- 518	503
450-600	RS	C	2	1	120.0	- 120.0	120.0	N/Q	-	-	-	630	- 630	630
	LE	C	2	1	125.0	- 125.0	125.0	N/Q	223	- 223	223	731	- 731	731
600+		B	3	1	100.0	- 100.0	100.0	N/Q	170	- 170	170	895	- 895	895
		C	2	4	95.0	- 123.0	102.0	-6	167	- 216	182	703	- 841	790
		C	3	7	70.0	- 110.0	90.1	6	119	- 193	155	774	- 940	832
		D	3	1	121.0	- 121.0	121.0	N/Q	216	- 216	216	793	- 793	793
				18	70.0	163.0	109.2		119	223	173	473	940	753

Abbreviations

CATTLE FD: Feeder RS: Restocker GF: Grainfed DA: Dairy PC: Pastoral Cattle SHEEP & LAMB RS: Restocker MR: Merino RM: Restocker Merino 1X: 1st Cross FD: Feeder

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